

IN THE SPECIFICATION

With reference to the enclosed red-lined version of the specification, the specification has been amended as follows:

At page 2, lines 4-5 and 10-11, the specification has been amended according to the Examiner's suggestion to delete the botanical name "*Dendranthema grandiflora*" and insert --*Chrysanthemum morifolium*--.

At page 2, lines 13-14, the specification has been amended by inserting the phrase --, identified as 'P301D2,'-- following the word "variety" on line 13.

At page 2, line 15, the specification has been amended by inserting the phrase --, identified as 'P381D6,' following the word "variety."

At page 2, line 16, the specification has been amended by inserting the phrase --with longer ray florets-- following the phrase "white single."

At page 2, line 23, the specification has been amended by inserting the word --Female-- preceding the word "Parent."

At page 2, line 25, the specification has been amended by deleting the phrase "white single unpatented seedling," and inserting the word --female-- preceding the word "parent." Line 25 has been further amended by deleting the word "cultivar" and inserting the term --'P301D2'-- following the word "parent."

At page 3, lines 1-2, the specification has been amended by deleting the phrase "white single unpatented seedling," and inserting the word --female-- preceding the word "parent?" on line 2.

At page 3, line 4, the specification has been amended by deleting the phrase "cultivar 'a white single unpatented seedling'."

At page 3, line 7, the specification has been amended by deleting the phrase "cultivar 'Stereophonics'."

At page 3, lines 8-17, the specification has been amended by inserting the following comparison section:

--Comparison with Male Parent

Plants of the new Chrysanthemum variety 'Abba' are dissimilar to the male parent 'P381D6' in plant habitat and growth rate. In side-by-side comparisons in Chichester, West Sussex, United Kingdom, under commercial practice, plants of the new Chrysanthemum variety 'Stereophonics' compared to plants of 'P381D6' in the following characteristics.

1. The new variety 'Stereophonics' produces large white spatulate single flowers whereas the parent produces large white broad flat single flowers.
2. Plants of the new variety 'Stereophonics' have larger and taller inflorescence than plants of the parent.--

At page 3, lines 19-20, 24, 26 and 29, the specification has been amended to delete the phrase "the cultivar."

At page 3, line 20-21, the specification has been amended to delete the phrase "Ser. No. 09/802051" and insert the phrase --Publication No. 2002/0129416-- following the word "Application."

Beginning at page 4, line 29, each instance of single line spacing has been corrected.

At page 5, line 3, the specification has been amended to delete the term "12" and insert the term --14--.

At page 5, lines 4-5, the specification has been amended to add the following:

--Diameter of Lateral Branches: 0.5-0.8 cm

Texture of Lateral Branches: Slightly pubescent--.

At page 5, line 12, the specification has been corrected by deleting the term "litre" and inserting --liter--.

At page 6, lines 7-8, the specification has been amended to add the following:

--*Diameter:* 0.2-0.3 cm

Texture: Slightly pubescent--.

At page 7, line 5, the specification has been amended to add the following line:

--*Diameter:* 0.5-0.6 cm--.

At page 7, line 9, the specification has been amended to delete the word "Medium" and insert the phrase --Moderately strong--.

At page 7, line 12, the specification has been amended to add the following line:

--*Diameter:* 0.2-0.3 cm--.

At page 7, line 16, the specification has been amended to delete the word "Medium" and insert the phrase --Moderately strong--.

At page 9, line 3, the specification has been amended to insert --Lastingness of blooms: about 24 days--.

At page 9, line 6, the specification has been amended to insert the following line: -- Gynoecium present on Ray and Disc Florets--.

At page 9, line 7, the specification has been amended to insert --per individual flower-- after the term "Ray florets" and delete the word "Pistillate."

At page 9, line 14, the specification has been amended to insert --per individual flower-- after the term "Disc florets" and delete the word "Pistillate."

At page 9, lines 8 and 15, the specification has been amended to delete the character “>” and insert the word --about--.

At page 9, line 21, the specification has been amended to delete the phrase “*Staminate*: None observed to date.”

At page 9, line 23, the specification has been amended insert the following line: --
Androecium not observed--.